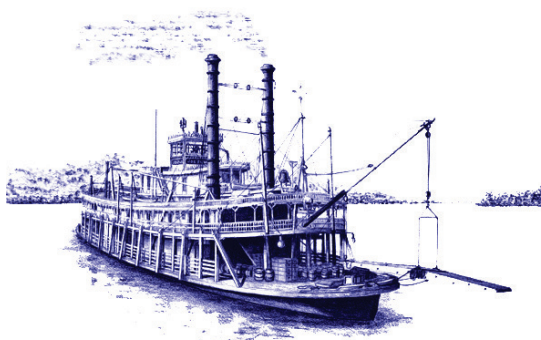


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Area health officials see positive swing in COVID-19 cases

BY MARK CAMPBELL

Health officials in Jefferson County took an opportunity at Friday's COVID-19 briefing to thank local residents for their cooperation in staying at home and limiting unnecessary interaction with the public and movement in the community.

Not only is the community's response helping healthcare workers better cope the virus emergency, but it's no doubt

saving lives as residents reduce their chances of being infected by lowering their exposure to those who have the virus but may be asymptomatic.

King's Daughters' Hospital has now tested 195 people from Jefferson and surrounding counties on both sides of the Ohio River with 10 positive results in Jefferson County but, more importantly, no deaths from a virus that as of Friday

morning had infected 6,907 and killed 300 in Indiana.

"I'd like to thank the residents for their cooperation," said Tammy Monroe, director of the Jefferson County Health Department, later adding, "We can all be heroes by staying at home when we can."

Although the county's number of COVID-19 cases confirmed by testing did increase from seven to 10 cases since

Thursday, Dr. John Hossler said officials are starting to see a positive turn in the virus emergency locally.

"I think we are close to the peak of the curve and things seem to be leveling off," Hossler, the county's health officer, said. He said the efforts of local residents and officials to maintain social distancing,

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Jefferson escapes brunt of storm

Versailles hard hit to the north

BY COLLIN OVERTON

Jefferson County may have averted serious damage from Wednesday night's storms, but downed lines and trees in the northeastern end of the county left more than 100 customers without power, and some were still in the dark Friday.

The National Weather Service issued a severe thunderstorm warning for Jefferson County Wednesday night until 11:15 p.m. as strong winds, rain and hail moving southeast ripped through the area. The damage was much worse further north, with towns like Franklin and Mooresville suffering structural damage to buildings and hundreds more residents losing power and roofs torn off and trees downed in Versailles. More than 6,000 Duke Energy customers in Vincennes were still without power as of noon Friday, according to the company's outage map.

"Overall we got pretty lucky," said Jefferson County Emergency Management Agency Director Troy Morgan, who said downed trees and lines were about the extent of the local damage.

Everything looked to be back online for Duke customers in Jefferson County Friday around noon with no outages reported, but more than 100 outages were showing in the



David Campbell

A Dodge SUV owned by Matt Forner took the brunt of the damage caused when a tree was blown over at his home on Lockard Street off Hanging Rock Hill Madison during Wednesday's night's storm. High wind knocked out power and phone services for a number of Jefferson County customers but property damage was less severe than in counties to the north.

northeastern corner of the county Thursday afternoon.

Upwards of 1,000 customers in Versailles were still experienc-

ing outages as of Friday around 1:30 p.m.

Southeastern Indiana REMC, which provides power in seven

counties, reported over 5,800 customers without power early Thursday morning on its Facebook page and worked to bring

that number down to 684 by 10 p.m. the same day, the time of the latest update. The update showed 94 Jefferson County customers still experiencing outages at that time.

Several local Spectrum customers took to Facebook to complain about losing TV and internet service, but the company did not respond to requests for comment by press time.

John Lockridge, who lives at the top of Scotts Ridge in between Canaan and Manville and gets power from REMC, said on Friday that his power had been out since 11:20 p.m. Wednesday. The 81-year-old has since been powering his home with a gas generator and said the timing could be better amid the COVID-19 pandemic.

After calling around to neighbors also on REMC, Lockridge said six to seven were still without power and those who did have it lived further down toward the creek bed in his neighborhood.

While damage to the area paled in comparison to what it could have been, not everyone got away unscathed. Matt Forner, an assistant baseball coach at Madison Consolidated High School, saw the biggest poplar tree in his yard fall and smash his 2018 Dodge Durango to about half its height Wednesday night.

Based on the proximity of the tree to Forner's house, where his family was inside, "it could have gone either way," Forner said.

Four arrested following scuffle with patrolman

BY COURIER STAFF REPORT

Responding to a report of a fight in progress involving guns, Madison Police arrested two brothers and two women in the 170 block of Taft Drive Thursday after a scuffle in which tasers were deployed on both men and a patrolman sustained minor injuries in the encounter.

Upon arrival at about 2:10 p.m., officers located the parties involved, who became verbally combative when officers attempted to seize a handgun, which was reportedly displayed during the altercation.

The officers were attempting to take into custody Ta'Juan Manning, 42, and Ta'Shawn Manning, 42, who are twin brothers from Madison, when both men resisted. Officers deployed their

tasers and were eventually able to take the Mannings into custody.

While in the process of detaining the Mannings, two females who were on the scene, Kayla Jones, 28, and Chesea Baxter, 30, both also of Madison, allegedly interfered with the officers and were also arrested. Jones battered Patrolman Brad Demaree, striking him about the head while he was attempting to take Ta'Juan Manning into custody. Demaree received minor injuries and was treated by EMS.

During their investigation, officers seized an assault rifle that was also reportedly displayed during the original altercation.

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Madison school trustees approve leave days for remainder of the school year

BY COLLIN OVERTON

The Madison Consolidated Schools Board of Trustees approved 37 emergency personal leave days for district employees — enough for the remainder of the 2019-20 school year now that no additional days will be spent in the classroom due to the COVID-19 emergency.

Trustees first took action Wednesday to retroactively grant emergency leave pay to employees for the 10 school days since Madison closed on March 13. The leave days approved Wednesday do not apply to the superintendent or bargaining unit employees and the money used is already budgeted for employee salaries, Superintendent Jeff Studebaker said.

Studebaker thanked Madison faculty and staff for their handling of the coronavirus situation — teachers are still working with students online as

part of the district's alternative elearning curriculum and cafeteria working are providing lunches — and offered an apology to seniors whose final year was cut short. He did not rule out holding commencement a ceremony for seniors later in the summer if social distancing rules are relaxed.

"To the seniors, I apologize to you for the way this semester has ended your time with Madison Schools. You've been a source of pride and inspiration for a lot of us over the years and we would have loved to be able to celebrate a variety of things with you, and we're hoping that some of these restrictions will be lifted in time to be able to do something with you this summer."

— Jeff Studebaker

Madison Consolidated Schools superintendent

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Mark Campbell

A flowering tree provided a spring backdrop for a game of one-on-one basketball recently at Jaycee Park just off Vaughn Drive along the Ohio River in Madison. The City of Madison has ordered all outdoor basketball courts in the parks system closed to help prevent the spread of the COVID-19 virus because groups of players have been exceeding social distancing and crowd gathering guidelines. (Courier staff photo by Mark Campbell)

Jennings man still missing after two weeks

BY THE MADISON COURIER
Authorities are still looking for a Jennings County man who went missing March 27, according to the Jennings County Sheriff's Office. Brian K. Kirby, 52, 5 feet 9 inches tall, 180 pounds with blue eyes and red hair and a beard was last seen walking in the Country Squire Lakes area north of North Vernon about two weeks ago.



He was wearing a gray sweat-shirt, blue jeans and an orange hat at the time. Anyone with information on Kirby's whereabouts should contact the Jennings County Dispatch at (812)-346-4911.

Deputies arrest two on Pleasant Ridge on charges of burglary

BY COURIER STAFF REPORT
Jefferson County Sheriff's Deputies arrested two Madison men on burglary and drug charges in the 4000 block of Pleasant Ridge Road Tuesday morning, according to a release from Sheriff Dave Thomas. Officers were dispatched to the area around 8 a.m. after a property owner that lives nearby notified authorities of a burglary in progress with the suspects possibly still inside the house. When deputies arrived, they found Michael Alan Abbott, 45, of Madison and Larry

Shannon Moeller, 42, of Madison hiding inside the residence. Abbott was charged with burglary, Level 5 felony and criminal trespassing, a Class A misdemeanor. Moeller was charged with burglary, Level 5 felony, possession of methamphetamine, Level 6 felony, possession of paraphernalia, Class A misdemeanor and criminal trespass, Class A misdemeanor. The sheriff's office was assisted at the scene by Indiana State Excise Police and the Jefferson County Prosecutor's Office.

Local man facing battery, child molestation charges

BY COURIER STAFF REPORT
A Madison man has been arrested for battery and child molestation in connection with a domestic violence call on Windridge Drive early Wednesday morning. The investigation began when Madison Police were dispatched to the 2800 block of Windridge Drive after Cory A. Coffey 24, Madison, allegedly struck a female victim and took

her cell phone, which prevented her from calling 911. Coffey was initially charged with domestic battery in the presence of a child less than 14 years of age, a Level 6 felony and interference with the reporting of a crime, a Class A misdemeanor, after an investigation led by Senior Patrolman Seth Melton was able to establish probable cause for the arrest.

At the time of that investigation, it was also reported to the initial responding officers that Coffey had reportedly engaged in inappropriate behavior with a child. Madison Police Chief John Wallace said Friday that law enforcement has seen an increase in the number of domestic calls over the past 24 hours, something he and other authorities were concerned might take place as the state's stay at home mandate continues with family members isolating together.

Madison Police Detectives Ricky Harris and Kyle Cutshaw followed up on the allegation of child molestation, and were able to establish probable cause to file additional charges of child molestation, a Level 4 felony, against Coffey.



ISP Photo

A crash involving a passenger car and a dump truck on S.R. 350 near Finks Road in Ripley County Monday killed a Versailles woman and injured a Napoleon man. The driver of the car (right) Tammy R. Judd, 48 was dead at the scene while the truck driver Brock A. Peetz, 44, sustained minor injuries. (ISP photo)

Versailles woman killed during collision with dump truck

BY COURIER STAFF REPORT
A Ripley County woman was fatally injured Monday when her car collided with a dump truck on S.R. 350 near Osgood at about 3 p.m. Tammy R. Judd, 48, Versailles, sustained fatal injuries in the collision and was pronounced dead at the scene by the Ripley County Coroner's Office. According to an initial investigation by Indiana State Police Master Trooper Ben Bastin, Judd was

traveling eastbound on S.R. 350 near Finks Road in a 2003 Mazda when for an unknown reason her car left the south side of the roadway and struck a guardrail. The vehicle then came back onto the road and entered the west-bound lane of the highway and into the path of a 1998 Chevrolet dump truck being driven by Brock A. Peetz, 44, Napoleon. After the collision, the truck left the north side of the roadway before overturning and coming to

rest on its side. Peetz sustained minor injuries in the collision and S.R. 350 was closed for nearly four hours for crash investigation and cleanup. Toxicology results on both drivers are pending at this time and the investigation is ongoing. Indiana State Police were assisted by the Ripley County Sheriff's Office, Indiana Conservation Officers, Osgood Fire Department, Ripley County EMS and Ripley County Coroner's Office.

KDH starts COVID-19 relief fund

BY COURIER STAFF REPORT
King's Daughters' Health has started a COVID-19 support fund, with the help of donations from AssuredPartners and German American Bank, to raise money for staff on the front lines of the pandemic, among other uses. According to a release from KDH, "all COVID-19 support funds will directly assist King's Daughters' Health — including its facilities, physicians and team members. Funding may also support COVID-19 patients and their family members." KDH Foundation Coordinator Madonna

FIND OUT MORE

Anyone with questions regarding the COVID-19 Support Fund should contact King's Daughters' Health Foundation Coordinator Madonna Wilson at 812-801-0555 or via email at wilsonm@kdhmadison.org.

KDH by contacting either Ommen at 812-801-0619 or Nadja Boone, director of marketing, community relations and development at 812-801-0128. Supplies like gloves, N95 masks and gowns are welcome in addition to homemade masks, which some local residents have been sewing and donating, Wilson said. She also encouraged those making masks to look into stitching headbands with buttons that can be clipped to the elastic bands on the face masks to prevent chafing behind the ears, as seen on social media. To donate to the COVID-19 Support Fund, visit www.kdhmadison.org/cvdonations. The link is also available under the Foundation tab on the King's Daughters' Health website. Any check donations should be made out to "KDH Foundation" and list Madonna Wilson, Ommen said. Anyone with questions regarding the COVID-19 Support Fund should contact Wilson at 812-801-0555 or via email at wilsonm@kdhmadison.org.

Wilson said supported activities include patient assistance, employee assistance, supplies and other items essential for KDH to best support the health of those affected by COVID-19. Dave Ommen, public information specialist for KDH, said Monday that the hospital had "ample" PPE in the event of a spike in cases and continues to source more supplies. KDH has received

an outpouring of donations in recent weeks from area businesses — including N95 masks from Arvin Sango, PPE from the Madison State Hospital and additional supplies from Vehicle Service group, 88 King Buffet and other local establishments — according to its Facebook page. Restaurants have also helped provide food for staff and kept employees "well-fed and caffeinated," Wilson said. Wilson said Monday that the fund is aimed at replacing the roughly \$22,000 the not-for-profit lost by canceling its annual golf benefit at Belterra Casino and Resort that was slated for May 29. About \$5,000 has already been donated by German American and AssuredPartners to help kickstart donations, she said. In addition to cash, people can also donate supplies and PPE to

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Precipitation since last published: 0.02 inches
Precipitation, April: 0.13 inch
Precipitation, year: 12.04 inches
Barometer: 30.13 Falling
River level at IKE: 427.5 feet

LOTTERY

INDIANA
Daily 3 — 0-1-7 Super Ball 6;
Daily 4 — 1-4-9-5 Super Ball 6;
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Pick 3 — 5-4-7; Pick 4 — 1-2-3-5;
Cash Ball — 1-11-15-23 Cash Ball 1; Lucky for Life — 6-16-23-27-48 Lucky Ball 10

OHIO
Pick 3 — 7-6-2 Pick 4 — 3-6-7-3; Pick 5 — 4-0-6-9-5; Rolling Cash — 18-23-26-36-37; Classic Lotto — 3-8-22-27-40-45 Kicker: 151089

ILLINOIS
Pick 3 — 8-9-9 Fire Ball 0; Pick 4 — 1-7-6-3 Fireball 3; Lucky Day Lotto — 2-7-9-24-41; Lotto Extra Shot — 2-5-10-12-38-51 Extra Shot 25

POWERBALL
2-37-39-48-54 Power Ball 5, Power Play x3. Next Estimated Jackpot: \$20 Million. Next Drawing: Saturday, April 11

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OBITUARIES

Marion Turner

Marion Alford “Sarge” Turner, 88, of Moorefield, Indiana, died Tuesday, April 7, 2020, at the River Terrace Health Campus in Madison, Indiana.

He was born Sept. 12, 1931, in Patriot, Indiana, to Thomas and Lula B. Smith Turner. He was raised in Switzerland County, Indiana, where he attended school. He was inducted into the U.S. Army on Nov. 9, 1948, in Madison, Indiana, and served during the Korean War and Vietnam War and was awarded the Purple Heart and Bronze Star Medal with Valor Device. He was honorably discharged with the rank of Sergeant First Class on July 31, 1969, at Fort Knox, Kentucky, after serving for 20 years, 9 months and 22 days. He was employed by Reliance Electric Company in Madison from August 1969 to October 1993, was a member of the old Mt. Zion Nazarene Church near Five Points, Indiana, and the Bear Creek Coon Hunters & Conservation Club. He enjoyed farming and raising tobacco, coon hunting and gambling. Survivors include his

daughter, Peggy Ann Yount of Madison; his sister, Vella Hufford of Mobile, Alabama; his brothers, Tommy Turner of Rising Sun, Indiana and George Turner of Moores Hill, Indiana; a granddaughter, Haley Yount-Janusiewicz, of Fishers, Indiana; a grandson, Jim Semlor of Glendale, Washington; and seven great-grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents, his wife of 56 years, Hazel Lorraine Jones Turner, on June 13, 2011; a sister, Edith Virginia Martin; and a brother, Dave Turner.

Private graveside services and full military rites will be conducted by the Honor Guard of the Vevay American Legion Post No. 185 and the Vevay VFW Post No. 5396 at the Mt. Zion Cemetery in Five Points.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Children’s Advocacy Center of Southeastern Indiana for Switzerland County. Cards are available at the funeral home.

Online condolences, www.haskellandmorrisson.com.

Geneva Breeden

Geneva C. Stephens Breeden, 83, of Hanover, Indiana, died Wednesday, April 8, 2020, at the King’s Daughters’ Hospital in Madison, Indiana.

She was born April 1, 1937, in Warsaw, Kentucky, to Lester and Myrtle Jackson Stephens. She was raised in Warsaw and attended school there. She married and settled in Hanover and worked for Meyer and Son Manufacturing in Madison. She later operated a daycare and preschool, loved to play the piano and was a member of the Landmark Apostolic Church in Madison for many years before most recently attending the Point of Grace. She enjoyed reading and studying her Bible and listening to gospel music.

Survivors include her daughters, Deva Lena Breeden and Stephanie Cross Cart, both of Madison and Deidra Bishop of West Palm Beach, Florida; a son,

Darren W. Breeden of Deputy, Indiana; her brothers, Mike Stephens and Warren Stephens, both of Madison; her sisters, Phyllis Stephens of Madison and Vicki Banks of Hanover; and six grandchildren, 10 great grandchildren and several nieces, nephews and other relatives.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband of 41 years, Strawder Wesley Breeden, in 1995; and her brothers, Ronald, Gary and Grover Stephens.

Funeral services will be at 1 p.m. Saturday, April 11, at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre in Madison. Interment will follow in the Warsaw Cemetery in Warsaw. Friends may visit from 11 a.m. until time of services at the funeral home.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Point of Grace Church. Cards are available at the funeral home.

Online condolences, www.morgan-nay.com.

Sherri Lee Horton Lewis

Sherri Lee Horton Lewis, 60, of Batesville, Indiana and formerly of Switzerland County, Indiana, died Thursday, April 9, 2020, at her

home in Batesville. Funeral arrangements are pending at the Haskell & Morrison Funeral Home in Vevay, Indiana.

Donna Denning

Donna L. Turner Denning, 65, of Madison, Indiana, died Thursday, April 9, 2020, at the Waters of Clifty Falls in Madison.

She was born May 12, 1954, in Madison, to James Turner and Nelda Guerich Turner Hall. She lived all of her life in Madison and attended school there. She worked early in life for Kmart until it closed and then for Big Lots as a manager and part-time for the Star Food Store as a clerk. She had also worked nine years at Arvin Sango in production, was a member of the Major Samuel Woodfill Post No. 9 of the American Legion Auxiliary in Madison and participated for years in the March of Dimes. She enjoyed hunting for golf balls, walking, working in her garden and rock garden and loved her cats. She was married to Kenneth Denning for 25 years and they had two children.

Survivors include a daughter, Jennifer Rowlett of Madison; a son, Dustin Denning of Madison; her sisters, Deborah Walls, Della

Turner, Denise Snyder and Diana James, all of Madison; her brothers, Douglas Turner of Hanover, Indiana, David Snyder and Dennis “Russ” Snyder, both of Madison, and Daniel “Dan” Snyder of Mechanicsburg, Maryland; a stepbrother, Mike Hall of Madison; her stepsisters, Sue Hall and Lou Hall, both of Batesville, Indiana; six grandchildren, two great grandchildren and several nieces, nephews and other relatives.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her stepdad, Chester Hall; her brother, Donald “Max” Snyder; and two nieces.

Friends may visit from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. Saturday, April 11, at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre in Madison with COVID-19 crowd restrictions applicable.

Memorial contributions may be made to the March of Dimes or St. Jude. Cards are available at the Morgan & Nay Funeral home.

Online condolences, www.morgan-nay.com.

Wanda Hamm

Wanda K. Hamm, 73, of Madison, Indiana, died Wednesday, April 8, 2020, at King’s Daughters’ Hospital in Madison.

She was born Oct. 17, 1946, in Madison, to Charles and Thelma Cheatham Wehner. She was a 1964 graduate of Madison Consolidated High School and a homemaker throughout her life. She was married to Jackie Hamm Sr. and they had three children. She enjoyed watching baseball.

Survivors include her children, Lori Hamm and Brian Hamm, both of Madison, and Jackie C. Hamm Jr. of Hanover, Indiana; her sister, Gloria Wakeman, of Florida; and two grandchildren.

Kenzie Deuser

Kenzie Deuser, daughter of Blake and Julie Deuser, of Madison, Indiana, died Thursday, April 9, 2020, at the IU Health Methodist Hospital in Indianapolis. Arrangements will be announced by the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre in Madison, www.morgan-nay.com

Aaron Edwards

Aaron Joel Edwards, 28, of Vevay, Indiana and formerly of Madison, died Friday, April 10, 2020, at the King’s Daughters’ Hospital. Funeral arrangements will be announced by the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre in Madison, www.morgan-nay.com

NEWS OF RECORD

Jefferson Sheriff

ARRESTS

MONDAY, APRIL 6
1:05 a.m. Ashley Renee Shipman, 25, Madison arrested for domestic battery.
1:05 a.m. Sean Tyler Voris, 28, Madison arrested for domestic battery.
TUESDAY, APRIL 7
6:21 p.m. Andrea Scroggin, 26, Madison arrested for invasion of privacy.
6:21 p.m. Jacqueline Robak, 24, Madison arrested for domestic battery.

CRIME

SUNDAY, APRIL 5
12:46 p.m. Mischief reported 1300 block Old State Road 62.
3:34 p.m. Security check 3800 block West State Road 256.
3:55 p.m. Breaking and entering residence 100 block Hutchinson Lane.
4:28 p.m. Drugs or drug case 400 block Virginia Avenue.
4:44 p.m. Domestic incident 100 block Horizon Drive.
5:28 p.m. Drugs or drug case 300 block Skyline Drive.
6:02 p.m. Security check 7000 block Majors Road, Hanover.
6:03 p.m. Security check 9200 block New Bethel Road, Lexington.
6:29 p.m. Trespassing 1200 block Broad Road.
6:41 p.m. Verbal argument 1500 block Wehner Drive.
MONDAY, APRIL 6
12:15 a.m. Suspicious vehicle 100 block JPG Ordnance Drive.
1:05 a.m. Fight no weapons, 800 block Thomas Hill Road. Arrests made.
TUESDAY, APRIL 7
7:14 a.m. Domestic incident 300 Skyline Drive.
8:03 a.m. Breaking and entering residence 4700 block Pleasant Ridge Road.
4:26 p.m. Suspicious person or circumstance 3300 block Robin Court.
6:21 p.m. Domestic battery 100 block Horizon Drive. Arrests made.
11:01 p.m. Breaking and entering residence 200 block Skyline Drive.

TRAFFIC

SUNDAY, APRIL 5
3:16 p.m. Traffic stop 5100 block North US 421.

3:53 a.m. Assist motorist 1300 block Rogers Road.

MONDAY, APRIL 6

6:27 p.m. Traffic stop Second and Main streets. Warning issued for failure to yield and improper turning.
3:19 a.m. Traffic stop 6700 block State Road 7. Warning for speed issued.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 8

12:11 a.m. Traffic stop 1000 block North US 421.

GENERAL

SUNDAY, APRIL 5

2:47 p.m. Welfare check US 421 and Michigan Road. Gone on arrival.
5:06 p.m. Found item 7000 New Bethel Road, Lexington.
8 p.m. Extra patrol 10500 block West 350 South, Lexington.

MONDAY, APRIL 6

12:46 a.m. Extra patrol 10500 block West 350 South, Lexington.
11:39 a.m. 911 call error 100 block Volz Drive, Hanover.
11:53 a.m. Follow-up case 500 block Hickory Drive, Hanover.

TUESDAY, APRIL 7

10:45 a.m. Welfare check 2000 block Michigan Road.
3:13 p.m. Follow-up case 800 West block, Deputy.
4:28 p.m. Found item 4900 block North State Road 62.
8:54 p.m. Assist EMS 8600 block Jones Road.
11:14 p.m. Extra patrol 2700 block Clifty Drive.
WEDNESDAY, APRIL 8
12:10 a.m. Assist EMS 9600 block North State Road 7, Dupont.

Madison Police

ARRESTS

SUNDAY, APRIL 5

3:30 p.m. Robert Renecker arrested for possession of a syringe and methamphetamine. No address or age given.
MONDAY, APRIL 6
3:36 p.m. Derick R. Carder, 33, arrested for possession of paraphenilia, marijuana and methamphetamine.

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Let Us Pause to Honor the Memory of

Mrs. Donna L. Turner Denning



Mrs. Donna L. Turner Denning, age 65, of Madison, Indiana entered this life on May 12, 1954 in Madison, Indiana. She was the loving daughter of the late James Turner and Nelda Guerich Turner Hall. She resided all of her life in Madison and attended school there. In 1971 she was united in marriage to Kenneth Denning and this union of 25 years was blessed with a daughter, Jennifer and a son, Dustin. She worked early in life for K-Mart until it closed then she worked for Big Lots as a clerk. Donna had worked for nine years at Arvin Sango in production. She was a member of the Major Samuel Woodfill Post No. 9 of the American Legion Auxiliary and participated for years in the March of Dimes. Donna enjoyed hunting for golf balls, walking, working in her garden and rock garden and loved her cats. Donna died on Thursday, April 9, 2020, at 8:10 a.m. at the Waters of Clifty Falls in Madison, Indiana.

A LOVING FAMILY

Donna will be missed by her loving daughter, Jennifer Rowlett of Madison, Indiana; her loving son, Dustin Denning and his wife, Kim of Madison, Indiana; her loving grandchildren, James Jines, Courtney Jines, Hannah Jines, Destiny Denning and her fiancée, Brandon Demaree, Caitlynn Tinker, and Trenton Denning; her adoring great grandchildren, Mylaa Grayson, Liam Jines, and Madelynn Demaree; her sisters, Deborah Walls and her husband, John of Madison, Indiana, Della Turner of Madison, Indiana, Denise Snyder of Madison, Indiana, Diana James of Madison, Indiana; her brothers, Douglas Turner and his wife, Donna of Hanover, Indiana, David Snyder and his wife, Teresa of Madison, Indiana, Dennis “Russ” Snyder of Madison, Indiana, Daniel “Dan” Snyder and his wife, Maria of Mechanicsburg, Maryland; her step brother, Mike Hall and his wife, Becky of Madison, Indiana; her step sisters, Sue Hall and Lou Hall of Batesville, Indiana; several nieces, nephews and other relatives. She was preceded in death by her father, James Turner, her mother, Nelda J. Guerich Turner Hall, her step dad, Chester Hall, her brother, Donald “Max” Snyder, her brother in law, Mike James, and her nieces, Erin Turner and Joy Turner.

VISITATION (NOTE: DUE TO COVID-19 RESTRICTIONS ARE APPLICABLE)

Friends may visit Saturday from 5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre, 325 Demaree Drive in Madison, Indiana.

MEMORIAL EXPRESSIONS

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Let Us Pause to Honor the Memory of

Mrs. Geneva C. Stephens Breeden



Mrs. Geneva C. Stephens Breeden, age 83, of Hanover, Indiana entered this life on April 1, 1937 in Warsaw, Kentucky. She was the loving daughter of the late Lester and Myrtle Jackson Stephens. She was raised in Warsaw and attended school there. On July 2, 1954 she was united in marriage to Strawder Wesley Breeden. This happy union of 41 years was blessed with daughters, Deva, Stephanie and Deidra and a son, Darren. The family settled in Hanover and she worked for Meyer and Son Manufacturing in Madison. Geneva cared for many children in her years of operating her daycare and preschool, her kids called her, Grandma Nev. She also loved to play the piano. Geneva was a devoted wife, mother, grandma and sister. She was a member of the Landmark Apostolic Church in Madison for many years and most recently was attending the Point of Grace. She enjoyed reading and studying her Bible and listening to gospel music. Geneva died on Wednesday, April 8, 2020, at 8:40 a.m. at the King’s Daughters’ Hospital in Madison, Indiana.

A LOVING FAMILY

Geneva will be missed by her loving daughters, Deva Lena Breeden of Madison, Indiana, Deidra Bishop of West Palm Beach, Florida, Stephanie Cross Cart and her husband, Richard of Madison, Indiana; her loving son, Darren W. Breeden and his wife, Tammy of Deputy, Indiana; her grandchildren, Tiffany, Crystal, Wesley, Shawn, Brandon and Kasper; her great grandchildren, Caleb, Anthony, Lincoln, Cade, Avery, Samuel, Wesley, Aubrey, Austin, and Chase; her brothers, Mike Stephens and his wife, Renee of Madison, Indiana, Warren Stephens of Madison, Indiana; her sisters, Phyllis Stephens of Madison, Indiana, Vicki Banks of Hanover, Indiana; several nieces, nephews and other relatives. She was preceded in death by her father, Lester Stephens, died October 15, 1980, her mother, Myrtle Jackson Stephens, died January 1, 2010, her beloved husband of 41 years, Strawder Wesley Breeden, died August 26, 1995, and her brothers, Ronald, Gary, and Grover Stephens.

FUNERAL CEREMONY

Funeral services will be conducted on Saturday, April 11, 2020, at 1:00 p.m., by Pastor Adam Faulkner at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre, 325 Demaree Drive Madison, Indiana. Interment will follow in the Warsaw Cemetery in Warsaw, Kentucky.

VISITATION

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RECORD

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TUESDAY, APRIL 7
4:38 a.m. Cory Coffey, 24, Columbus, Indiana, arrested for domestic battery and interfering with reporting a crime.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 8
5:40 p.m. James C. Kolson, 34 , Louisville, Kentucky, arrested for possession of handgun with a license.
5:40 p.m. Angela M. Huff, 33, Lexington arrested for criminal trespass and possession of syringe.

THURSDAY, APRIL 9
1:03 a.m. Vincent Lee Wiefeling, 29, Madison arrested for criminal trespass and possession of marijuana.

CITATIONS
SUNDAY, APRIL 5
11:50 p.m. Justin Allen Ledbetter cited for operator never licensed.

MONDAY, APRIL 6
2:57 a.m. Valeria Reyes cited for driving while suspended.

CRIME
SUNDAY, APRIL 5
1:19 p.m. Verbal argument 1800 block Blackmore Street.
2:57 p.m. Assault and battery 100 block Regatta Court.
3:30 p.m. Fight with no weapons 600 block Jefferson Street. Arrest made.
4:04 p.m. Intoxicated person 100 block Regatta Court.
6:43 p.m. Drugs or drug case 100 block East Second Street.
7:15 p.m. Runaway juvenile 2000 block Clifty Drive.
7:44 p.m. Theft reported Madison Police Department.
8:01 p.m. Theft reported 300 block East Main Street.
8:25 p.m. Unwanted subject 2600 block Michigan Road.

MONDAY, APRIL 6
12 a.m. Juvenile problem 400 block East Street. Gone on arrival.
4:54 a.m. Breaking and entering residence 500 block East Street.
6:52 a.m. Suspicious person or circumstance Second and Mulberry Streets.
6:53 a.m. Alarm 700 block Clifty Drive.
11:30 a.m. Protective order violation 400 block Second Street.
11:56 a.m. Trespassing 1400 block Terrace Drive.
4:51 a.m. Leaving the scene of an accident 300 block Clifty Drive.
5:07 p.m. Intoxicated driver reported southbound US 421. Unable to locate.
5:42 p.m. Suspicious person or circumstance 200 block Third Street.
8:17 p.m. Domestic incident reported Madison Police Department.
9:22 p.m. Fight with no weapons 200 block Third Street.
10:08 p.m. Alarm 400 block Mulberry Street.
10:24 p.m. Suspicious vehicle 300 block Demaree Drive. Unable to locate.
10:49 p.m. Suspicious person or circumstance Fourth Street at Walnut Street. Unable to locate.

TUESDAY, APRIL 7
2:55 a.m. Domestic incident 500 block East Street.
4:38 a.m. Child abuse 2800 block Wildridge Drive. Arrest made.
4:58 a.m. Breaking and entering residence 2400 block Branch Street.
8:01 a.m. Suspicious person or circumstance 100 block West Third Street.
8:01 a.m. Unwanted subject 1000 West Main Street.
8:46 a.m. Alarm 2200 block Seneca Drive.
9:15 a.m. Leaving scene of accident report 200

block Clifty Drive.
10:04 a.m. Suspicious person or circumstance 1000 block Walnut Street.
10:45 a.m. Theft reported Madison Police Department.
11:24 a.m. Suspicious person or circumstance 400 block East Main Street.
1:56 p.m. Fight no weapons 500 block Ivy Tech Drive.
4:18 p.m. Vandalism reported Madison Police Department.
5:54 p.m. Suspicious person or circumstance Hatcher Hill Road.
5:58 p.m. Alarm 1400 block Clifty Drive.
7:47 p.m. Personal injury accident 400 block Clifty Drive.
9:05 p.m. Suspicious person or circumstance Gerry Lane.
9:28 p.m. Suspicious person or circumstance 200 block East Main Street.
11:57 p.m. Suspicious person or circumstance 200 block Third Street.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 8
1:09 a.m. Alarm 400 block Clifty Drive.
1:15 a.m. Breaking and entering vehicle 100 block Taft Drive.
1:59 a.m. Breaking and entering vehicle 100 block Taft Drive.
3:46 a.m. Juvenile problem 100 block Crestwood Drive.
6:13 a.m. Suspicious vehicle 100 block Regatta Court.
7:40 a.m. Theft report taken 2000 block Orchard Street.
1:23 p.m. Suspicious person or circumstance 400 block Jefferson Street.
3:32 p.m. Domestic standby 2200 block Blackmore Street.
5:40 p.m. Public indecency 100 block Jefferson Street. Arrests made.
6:32 p.m. Suspicious person or circumstance 300 block East Main Street.
7:53 p.m. Theft 600 block Clifty Drive.
8:02 p.m. Intoxicated person 400 block Dowell Street.
8:34 p.m. Fight no weapons 100 block Taft Drive.
8:39 p.m. Threats or threatening behavior Park Avenue.
9:15 p.m. Civil dispute Madison Police Department.
11:51 p.m. Reckless drive 500 block First Street. Unable to locate.

THURSDAY, APRIL 9
12:53 a.m. Verbal argument 100 block Regatta Court.
1:03 a.m. Breaking and entering vehicle 100 block Taft Drive. Arrest made.
1:48 a.m. Criminal mischief 400 block Mill Street.
1:55 a.m. Property damage accident Michigan Road.
2 a.m. Suspicious vehicle 300 block West Street. Unable to locate.
4:55 a.m. Disturbance reported 700 block Third Street.

TRAFFIC
SUNDAY, APRIL 5
1:57 p.m. Traffic stop 300 block Jefferson Street. Verbal warning failure to stop.
7:10 p.m. Traffic stop bottom of Hanging Rock Hill. Assistance given.
11:37 p.m. Traffic stop Harry Nichols Drive. Warning issued for speeding.
11:50 p.m. Traffic stop 2600 block Wilson Avenue. Citation issued.

MONDAY, APRIL 6
2:20 a.m. Traffic stop 2600 block Wilson Avenue. Warning issued for speeding.
2:57 a.m. Traffic stop 700 block Clifty Drive. Citation issued.
3:45 p.m. Traffic stop East State Road 62.

TUESDAY APRIL 7
4:40 a.m. Traffic stop Clifty Drive at Michigan Road. Warning issued.
8:27 a.m. Traffic control detail 700 West Second Street.
5:29 p.m. Assist motorist North US 421.
10:06 p.m. Parking problem 400 block St. Michaels Avenue

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 8
8:30 a.m. Traffic stop 2500 block Cragmont Street.
2:21 p.m. Traffic stop 1500 block Clifty Drive. Verbal warning given.
5:16 p.m. Traffic stop Walnut Street and Vaughn Drive.
6:20 p.m. Assist motorist Michigan Hill Road.
7:23 p.m. Traffic stop 1100 block West Main Street.
8:43 p.m. Parking problem Mill Street and Third Street.

THURSDAY, APRIL 9
2:42 a.m. Assist other agency 800 block East Street.

GENERAL
SUNDAY, APRIL 5
11:50 p.m. Deceased subject 1900 block Allen Street.
12:43 p.m. 911 non-emergency 500 block East Street.
12:53 p.m. Assist other agency 2500 block Michigan Road.
1:45 p.m. General information Madison Police Department.
1:59 p.m. Consensual encounter 100 block East Second Street.
2:07 p.m. Consensual encounter 300 block East Main Street.
2:23 p.m. Unconscious man down Clifty Hollow Road.
2:31 p.m. Unconscious man down 2800 block Windridge Drive.
2:35 p.m. Unknown problem 400 block State Street.
4:17 p.m. Assist other agency 400 block West Street.
5:06 p.m. Found item 7000 block New Bethel Road, Lexington.
7:23 p.m. Unconscious man down 500 block East Clifty Drive.
9:45 p.m. General information Madison

Police Department.

MONDAY, APRIL 6
11:53 a.m. Follow-up case 500 block Hickory Drive, Hanover.
12:36 p.m. Follow-up case 200 block East Second Street.
1:45 p.m. General information Madison Police Department.
3:36 p.m. Welfare check 2800 block Windridge Drive. Arrest made.
4:43 p.m. Follow-up case 300 block Walnut Street.
4:45 p.m. Special detail or patrol Jefferson Street and Broadway.
5:09 p.m. Welfare check 1000 block West.

TUESDAY, APRIL 7
6:11 a.m. Consensual encounter 200 block West Main Street.
10:25 a.m. Welfare check 500 block East Main Street.
10:46 a.m. Follow-up case 800 block Second Street.
10:54 a.m. Follow-up case 1100 block Clifty Drive.
11:12 a.m. Follow-up case 2800 block Windridge Drive.
11:28 a.m. Eviction 600 block West Street.
12:12 p.m. Follow-up case Madison Police Department.
12:40 p.m. Follow-up case Jefferson County Sheriff’s Office.
1:18 p.m. Fire alarm 1300 block Clifty Drive.
1:54 p.m. General information Madison Police Department.
3:06 p.m. Found item Madison Police Department.
3:11 p.m. Follow-up case block 800 West, Deputy.
3:55 p.m. Welfare check Jefferson and Third Streets.
4:23 p.m. General information 2000 Fairway Drive.
4:25 p.m. General information 2800 Basswood Drive
9:45 p.m. General information Madison Police Department.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 8
4:54 a.m. Article in road 200 block State Street.
8:09 a.m. Follow-up case 2000 block Orchard Street.
1:37 p.m. Welfare check 2200 block Michigan Road. Negative contact.
1:45 p.m. General information Madison Police Department.
4 p.m. Welfare check 600 block Jefferson Street.
5:48 p.m. Article found road 2500 block Clifty Drive.
8:26 p.m. Follow-up case 600 block Clifty Drive.
8:27 p.m. Consensual encounter 300 block Main Street.
9:45 p.m. General information Madison Police Department.
10:26 p.m. Utility problem 200 block St. Michaels Avenue.

Hanover Police

CRIME
SUNDAY, APRIL 5
1:53 p.m. Runaway juvenile 100 block Locust Street.
3:08 p.m. Gunshot 200 block Hickory Drive. Unable to locate.
8:27 p.m. Suspicious vehicle 400 block LaGrange Road.

MONDAY, APRIL 6
2:51 p.m. Personal injury accident 6000 block West State Road 56.

TUESDAY, APRIL 7
9:04 a.m. Animal problem 100 block Volz Drive.

GENERAL
MONDAY, APRIL 6
9:56 a.m. Utility problem 200 block East Main Street.
11:39 a.m. 911 call error 100 block Volz Drive.
3:25 p.m. Found item 200 block November Street.

JEFFERSON SUPERIOR COURT

CRIMINAL
Tammy Stewart sentenced to time served in jail, and ordered to pay fines and fees totaling \$235 for theft.
Sidnie Maurand Hunter sentenced to 425 days in jail, all suspended to 60 days probation with Community Corrections, and ordered to pay fines and fees totaling \$485 for felony identity deception.
Kyla Earl sentenced to one year in jail, and ordered to pay fines and fees totaling \$685 for felony possession of methamphetamine.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS
Travis Joe and Natasha Leann Richards to Clifford W. II and Alicia C. Davis, 3533 N. Jefferson Lake Road and 3500+ N. Jefferson Lake Road, Madison.
Vicky Schirmer and Pauline Hensler to Phillips Development Inc., 122 E. Wooded Court, Hanover.
Lenora D. Mattson to Lenora D. Mattson and Cheryl Rossi-Huy, 511 Mulberry St., Madison.
Robert Gregory and Lindsey Marie Goodknight to Philip Nathan Hall and Jessica Leigh Malott, 1937 Hycliff Court, Madison.
Dorothy A. Craft to Eddie R. Brooks and Jorrica L. Youngblood, 136 E. State St., Madison.
Daniel L. Koch to Gerald and Denise

Wallace, 500 Phillips Lane, Madison.
John Garner to Evelyn A. Chandler, 237 E. Main St., Hanover.
Marquetta Tankersley to Charles A. McQueary, Sandra J. Taylor and Lorie Ann Ferguson, 2424 Cedarwood Drive, Madison.

HEALTH INSPECTIONS
The Jefferson County Health Department conducts quarterly inspections of all food establishments or locations that handle food in the county. Health inspections become a public record 10 days after the inspection takes place.
The documents highlight critical, noncritical and repeat violations during each inspection or follow-up. Critical violations are listed. All records are supplied by the Jefferson County Health Department, which can be reached at 812-273-1942.
Bello’s Pizza: No violations.
Circle K #4700011: One critical (Boxes of Lunchables and P3 packs were found past their use by dates in the open display cooler and on the rack that sits in the walk-in cooler), two non-critical.
Family Dollar #12180: Two critical (Boxes of Lunchables were found past their use by date in the display cooler. These food products need to be discarded. Feminine products were found stored under chemicals in the clearance section. Single use products must be stored above any chemicals or detergents), one non-critical.
Family Dollar Store #23220: One critical (The water being produced from the bathroom and service sink is producing a foul smell. Therefore, employees are not using these sources of water), three non-critical.
Famous Tamale: No violations.
Hos Coffee: No violations.
Indian Trails: No violations.
SN Marathon: Two non-critical.
The Red Pepper Inc: Two non-critical.
The Salvation Army: One critical (Evidence of pest present in the stock room pantry. The evidence needs to be cleaned up and discarded), one non-critical.

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LPC NOTICE

In accordance with the Kentucky Facilities Planning Manual 702 KAR 4:180, the Trimble County Local Planning Committee will be holding a meeting on Thursday, April 16th, 2020 at 5:30 PM. Due to the coronavirus emergency, this meeting will be held virtually in accordance with the information below. On March 18, 2020, issued as OAG 20-05, the Kentucky Attorney General opined that at this time during the present state of emergency it is not “feasible” under KRS 61.840 to precisely identify and provide a primary physical location for a video teleconference under the Open Meetings Act at which the public may attend and view a meeting held via video teleconference, and that various other technological means by which the public may view a meeting should be provided instead until the conclusion of the state of emergency;

There will be no public forum at this meeting, but the public is welcome to observe the meeting virtually.

1,600 file unemployment claims in Jefferson County

BY COURIER STAFF REPORT

With non-essential businesses ordered to close to the public and many factories shutting down as a precaution or because other plants in their supply chain are already idled, the number of jobless claims in Jefferson County has ballooned to over 1,600 since March due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

Madison Mayor Bob Courtney said the city's jobless rate and workers' livelihood have both taken a hit despite the best efforts of local businesses and industries and an emergency jobs program the city launched to help keep residents employed.

Courtney said the local hospitality industry was hit hardest first as restaurants were closed to dine-in service and hotels saw a drop in bookings. Now the local industries who held out as long as they could have started laying off and furloughing workers as manufacturing lines have slowed and gone silent.

Jobless claims throughout Region 9, the area that includes Jefferson and Switzerland counties, have shown similar increases based on unemployment insurance statistics released by the Indiana Department of Workforce Development.

Meanwhile, more than 133,000 people filed initial claims for unemployment in Indiana last week as the coro-

navirus pandemic kept businesses closed and workers furloughed.

The 133,639 Hoosiers who sought jobless benefits during the week ending April 4 was down slightly from the 139,174 who filed the previous week, according to U.S. Department of Labor numbers. Indiana had received fewer than 2,600 claims just three weeks ago.

New U.S. claims totaled 6.6 million last week, which was a dip of 3.8% from the previous week, the Labor Department said.

Congress' \$2.2 trillion pandemic relief package includes an extra \$600 a week in unemployment benefits on top of the usual state payments.

Indiana residents who have filed for unemployment should begin receiving that extra \$600 payment as early as April 20, retroactive to March 29, said Fred Payne, commissioner of the state Department of Workforce Development.

He said Thursday that the state agency is continuing to receive a "high volume" of calls from people trying to make unemployment claims during the pandemic and technology difficulties have slowed that process, the Indianapolis Business Journal reported.

Payne said the department is now working with a new contractor to process claims.

Rural Indiana virus worry: 'What more could I have done?'

BY TOM DAVIES AND DARRON CUMMINGS ASSOCIATED PRESS

GREENSBURG, Ind. — The coronavirus pandemic surged into Sean Durbin's farm-speckled Indiana county much faster than most other parts of rural America, contributing to at least 10 deaths and dozens of serious illnesses.

Decatur County and two other counties in southeast Indiana have among the highest per-capita infection rates in the country, topping the Seattle area and some counties near hard-hit Detroit.

As Decatur County's public health preparedness coordinator, Durbin is working to stem the spread of the virus, even as he grieves the loss of a close friend to COVID-19 and stays apart from his wife so she can help with their new grandchild.

"Every death makes me question if I did enough," said Durbin, who is 57. "We have been ahead of everything the state has done in this county, and I still go to bed every night and ask, 'What more could I have done to protect this population?'"

Last Thursday, county officials banned nonessential travel and ordered all restaurants closed, including for takeout orders, going beyond the requirements of the governor's stay-at-home order that took effect March 25.

Decatur, Franklin and Ripley counties have a combined population of nearly 78,000 people and nearly 250 confirmed coronavirus cases through Wednesday, placing them among the top 100 counties for high infection rates across the nation, according to data tracked by Johns Hopkins University.

Health leaders can't pinpoint why the area has such a high infection rate. Some point to truckers stopping off from Interstate 74 — the main route between Indianapolis and Cincinnati — and locals who work in those cities. Or suggest it's linked to the young adults who have left their hometowns for jobs and schools in recent years.

"With this crisis in the big cities, we're seeing a lot of license plates from those other states showing up because they're coming back to mom and grandma and uncle Joe," said Dr. David Welsh, the Ripley County health officer.

There have been more than 20 COVID-19-related deaths in the three counties. At least two dozen patients are seriously ill, while others, including an 11-year-old child, have been recovering at home.

- Ta'Juan Manning, arrested for resisting law enforcement, battery on a public safety official, disorderly conduct interference with an officer's duties.
 - Ta'Shawn Manning, arrested for resisting law enforcement, disorderly conduct and interference with an officer's duties
- The investigation is ongoing and is being led by Patrolman Demaree and Sgt. Shawn Scudder. Madison Police Detectives Kyle Cutshaw and Ricky Harris are also assisting with the investigation.

SCUFFLE

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Those arrested and their charges include:

- Chelsea Baxter, arrested for disorderly conduct and interference with an officer's duties.
- Kayla Jones, arrested for resisting law enforcement, battery on a public safety official, interference with an officer's duties and disorderly conduct.

TRUSTEES

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restrictions will be lifted in time to be able to do something with you this summer.

"And if we can't get together in a large group for commencement or prom or any of those other things, then we will try to do something to do commencement ... we're working on those plans to try and get a commencement of some sort put together for you, at the very least," the superintendent said.

The board also signed a pair of contracts Wednesday night related to the upcoming upgrades to the high school track and football field complex expected to be completed by Aug. 1. The first was a \$1,593,625 contract with Motz Group, a Cincinnati-based firm to design and build the new artificial turf field and track. The second contract was for a new scoreboard and sound system from Daktronics at a cost of \$206,858, which will stay within the allotted budgeted for the total sports complex project, Studebaker said.

Trustees also approved a

new contract with solar energy supplier Johnson Melloh Solutions not to exceed \$3,481,760 on a number of projects that include new roofing for Rykers' Ridge Elementary and parts of the high school and roof solar panels at the junior high, Rykers' Ridge gym, central office, bus garage and Cub Manufacturing buildings. Also included in the contract are grounded solar arrays at Anderson and Deputy elementaries.

The actual amount of the

contract will depend on the final scope of projects to be done. Studebaker said MCS was unsure if it would go through with the high school roofing, so the actual contract could be closer to \$3 million. Work is scheduled to begin on the projects by the middle of October.

Other business at Wednesday's meeting:

- The district gave an update on the status of summer school programs. Madison submitted a grant to the Indiana Department of Edu-

CASES

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limit gathering and movement, and practice good hand-washing seem to be preventing the huge spikes found in the hardest-hit areas of the state and country. It's those spikes that overwhelm healthcare workers and produce greater numbers of seriously ill and deaths.

Jefferson County Public Health Coordinator Blythe Couch said at least one person from Jefferson County has tested positive for COVID-19 and already recovered from the virus. In fact, that patient recovered before local health officials got positive results back from the lab.

She said a person who has COVID-19 is considered recovered once they have been fever-free for 72 hours without the use of medication and are free of other symptoms of the virus. However, the ability to not infect others can require a longer isolation.

"We have not lost any people and that's certainly the health department's goal," Couch said.

Hossler said the cooperation of local businesses to enforce stricter limits on the number of shoppers they allow into essential stores at a time and the efforts of workers to sanitize items like shopping carts, shelves and other equipment is having a positive impact on controlling the spread of the illness.

"The retail stores and public have responded pretty well ... they understand the gravity to this situation if it gets out of control ...," Hossler said.

"It's exciting to see some of the interventions outside of our agency like making masks for health workers and first responders. It takes a village. We couldn't accomplish anything without the cooperation of the community, so kudos to Madison."

At the same time, the community leaders spearheading the county's response to the emergency said it will take a lot more of the same kind of response to keep the community safe and get through the pandemic. Momentum gained on suppression of the virus is contingent on continued vigilance like limiting movement, social distanc-

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Trimble County confirms first COVID-19 case

BY COURIER STAFF REPORT

Trimble County now has its first confirmed case of the novel COVID-19 coronavirus, the North Central District Health Department confirmed in a release Friday.

According to the health department, the patient is a 68-year-old male who is currently self-isolating at his home. Trimble has been the lone local county without a coronavirus case since the outbreak, with neighboring Carroll, Henry and Oldham Counties reporting a total of 16 cases in Kentucky.

Tony Millet, environmental supervisor and public information officer for NCDHD, said the results arrived from the state Thursday night and the health department is reaching out to anyone who has been exposed to the patient. The health department does not plan to release the exposure points to the public out of concern for an overwhelming call volume from people who don't yet need to be tested, or those who weren't actually in contact, Millet said.

"Our thinking is that if we say where they have been, every individual will call in saying 'I have symptoms' without actually having symptoms or being in contact," Millet said.

Those exposed should instead contact their primary care physicians and monitor any symptoms, according to the Kentucky Department of Public Health.

According to the NCDHD, which has health department buildings in four counties, Henry County has two cases, Shelby County has 16 and Spencer has six. Neighboring Carroll County has two cases and Oldham County is reporting 11, according to the Kentucky Department of Public Health.

So far Kentucky has recorded 1,452 cases with 23,170 tested and 79 deaths.

ing and practicing good hand washing and sanitation.

"We now have 10 cases, so you should assume any public place you visit, at one time has been exposed to the virus," Monroe said.

"Wear a mask when you go out in public — you can even make your own."

Monroe noted it will be tough on families and church congregations going into the Easter Weekend under such restrictions but that is what must be done for the good of families and the community.

Both Monroe and Madison Mayor Bob Courtney cited Gov. Eric Holcomb's executive order this week barring traditional services on Easter Sunday. Monroe said many churches have already adopted virtual services online and Courtney said that in addition to virtual services, some congregation could consider drive-in services where people

remain in the safety of their car separated from other worshippers.

Shane Williams, director of EMS and emergency preparedness director for King's Daughters' Health, said the hospital and its COVID-19 clinic has about 50-55 tests still pending. KDH posted on its Facebook page later on Friday that it will soon be able to ramp up testing and serve even more people as needed.

Williams said the COVID clinic remains open Monday through Friday as a way to lower exposure to the remainder of the hospital and Emergency Department but weekend hours could be added if the situation warranted. He said the hospital's COVID hotline can be called at any time at 812-801-8010 for information and advice.

Madison Police Chief John Wallace said one of his officers was checked for COVID-19 and tested negative. He said the department is very healthy but very busy due to an increase in domestic calls starting Thursday as residents struggle to control tempers while spending so much more time together isolating at home.

"It was a very difficult day," Wallace said.

all in one package on future building projects. The perks of contracting with such a company would be at least a 10% savings on project costs as opposed to the "traditional model of hiring a construction manager, an architect, and engineers separately. In addition, the savings associated with having to deal with one entity ... having only one entity accountable for deadlines,

mistakes, and cost overruns is immeasurable," according to the resolution.

- The board accepted a \$2,600 anonymous donation from the Community Foundation of Madison and Jefferson County to support the high school's special education program and an \$8,571 donation from the Lydia Middleton Elementary PTO to purchase playground equipment for the school.

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"V'Y R BTDVNUVRI, RIH V'Y ICU
SJDGJBU. V NBDJA ES JMJDK HRK,
PEU V UTVIW UTRU'N ATRU XDRBJ VN
RZZ RPCEU." — UVY UJPCA

Previous Solution: "Evil is the result of what happens when man does not have God's love present in his heart." — Albert Einstein

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FE AMNPN' TEC KSME CDE'K GDLUFWM
NDRMHDCX DL SDIC T ULPCUM
TUTFENK NDRMHDCX." — RL. K

Previous Solution: "I'm a Christian, and I'm not perfect. I screw up every day, but I think that's what grace is all about." — Tim Tebow

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LEGALS

0955 Legals

STATE OF INDIANA
IN THE JEFFERSON CIRCUIT COURT

SS: COUNTY OF JEFFERSON
CAUSE NUMBER: 39C01-2001-JT-00001

IN THE MATTER OF THE TERMINATION OF THE PARENT-CHILD RELATIONSHIP:

SHIP: MJS - DOB 7/11/2012 AND

Tara Lee Savage (Biological Mother) Ronnie Leffler (Alleged Father) AND ANY UNKNOWN ALLEGED FATHERS

SUMMONS FOR SERVICE BY PUBLICATION & NOTICE OF TERMINATION OF PARENTAL RIGHTS HEARING

TO: Ronnie Leffler and Any Unknown Alleged Father Whereabouts unknown

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JEFFERSON SUPERIOR COUNTY CLAIMS

LEGAL AD DATE

DATE TO BE PAID: 04-15-2020

VENDOR - NAME

AMOUNT

778	PITNEY BOWES	1000.017-0321.011	\$137.00
47	THE OFFICE SHOP	1000.017-0211.00	\$278.70
	LEANNA WEISSMANN	1000.017-0137.01	\$855.00
	DPI	1000.017-0211.00	\$395.00
2452	KATEY BRICHTO	1000.017-0452.00	\$603.83
3450	ANGELIA ROGERS	1000.017-0137.01	\$219.00
7558	THOMPSON-STIDHAM REPORTING	1000.017-0137.01	\$386.00
11913	JASON J. PATTISON	1000.017-0137.01	\$1,116.00
43	BOONIE'S	1000.017-0211.00	\$32.50
12	JENNER & PATTISON	1000.017-0137.01	\$104.80
	DONALD J. MOTE	1000.017-0211.00	\$141.87
3692	DATTILO LAW	1000.017-137.01	\$9.44
21	JOAS LAW	1000.017-0137.01	\$31.00
	SHERRY PORTER	1000.017-0137.01	\$337.50
742	MARY BETH MOCK	1000.017-0137.01	\$216.72
	TOTAL		\$4,864.36

SO ORDERED and dated this 3rd day of April, 2020

MICHAEL J. HENSLEY, JUDGE
JEFFERSON SUPERIOR COURT

JEFFERSON CIRCUIT COUNTY CLAIMS

LEGAL AD DATE: *04/06/2020

DATE TO BE PAID: *04/15/2020

March 2020

VENDOR#

NAME

ACCT #

AMOUNT

43	BOONIES WATER CONDITIONING	1000-016-0211.00	\$31.55
3692	DATTILO LAW OFFICE	1000-016-0137.01	\$44.50
12354	N. LISA GLICKFIELD	1000-016-0137.01	\$1,413.00
3203	HOUSTON, THOMPSON & LEWIS, PC	1000-016-0137.01	
	INTOXIMETERS	1000-016-0101.00	\$952.50
	2081 CRAIG ROAD, SAINT LOUIS, MO 63146		
4294	JEFFERSON COUNTY YOUTH SHELTER	2000-001-0101.00	\$350.00
21	JOAS LAW	1000-016-0137.01	\$20.00
12201	JOHNSON COUNTY TREASURER	1000-016-0394.00	\$15,400.00
742	MARY BETH MOCK	1000-016-0137.01	\$16.91
47	THE OFFICE SHOP (CIRCUIT COURT)	1000-016-0211.00	\$102.37
47	THE OFFICE SHOP (PROBATION)	1000-016-0101.00	\$177.85
778	PITNEY BOWES	1000-016-0321.00	\$62.50
	SHERRY PORTER	1000-016-0137.01	\$360.00
	433 EAST MCCAIN AVENUE, SCOTTSBURG, IN 47170		
3450	ANGELIA ROGERS	1000-016-0137.01	\$283.00
12447	SENTINEL OFFENDER SERVICES LLC	2000-001-0101.00	\$105.85
11271	DEVON SHARPE	1000-016-0137.01	\$892.78
8622	THOMAS REUTERS-WEST	1000-016-0213.00	\$160.00
11	PATRICIA S. TORLINE	1000-016-0137.01	\$742.50
3859	VERIZON WIRELESS	200-001-0101.00	\$28.55
7124	WITHAM TOXICOLOGY LABORATORY	200-001-0101.00	\$60.00
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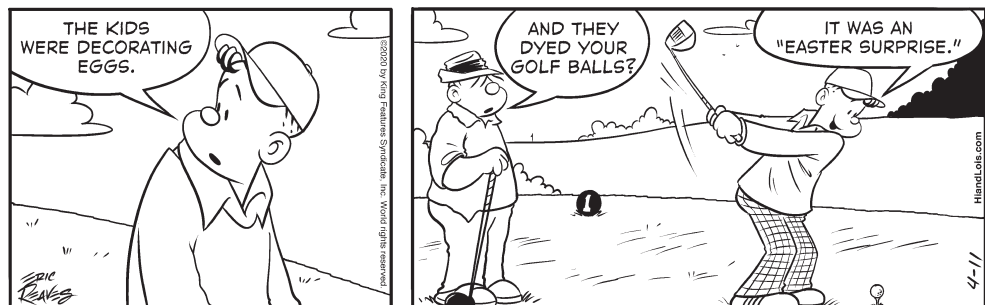
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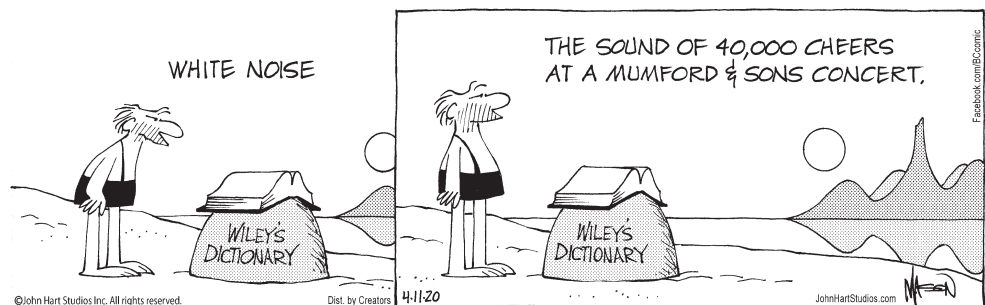
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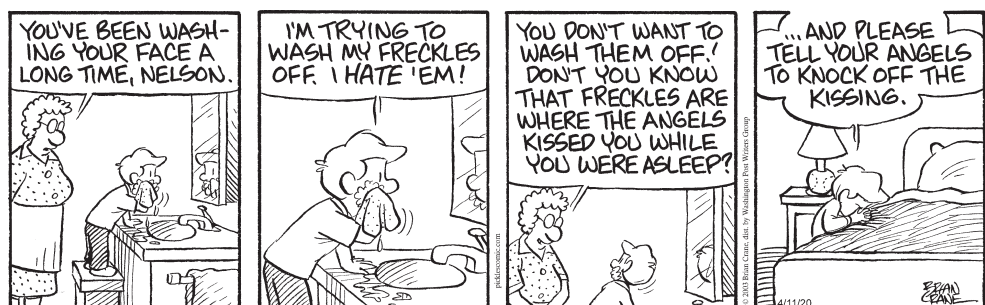
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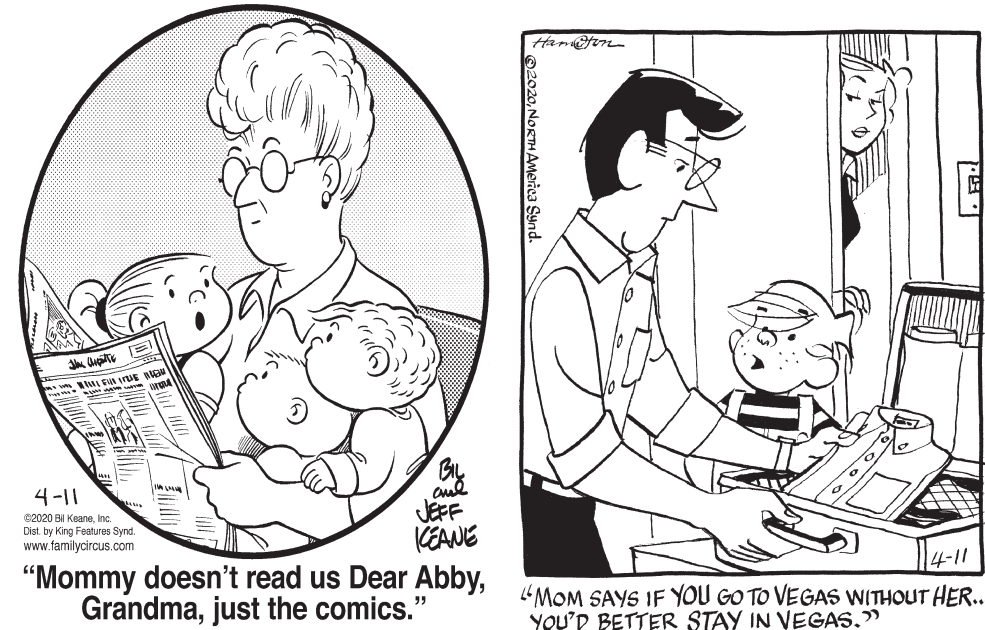


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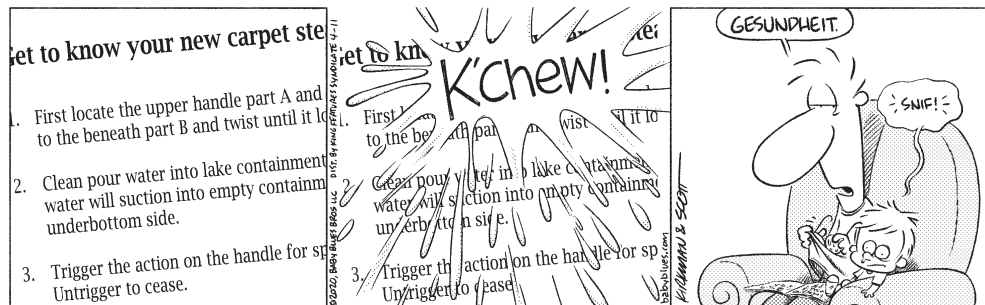
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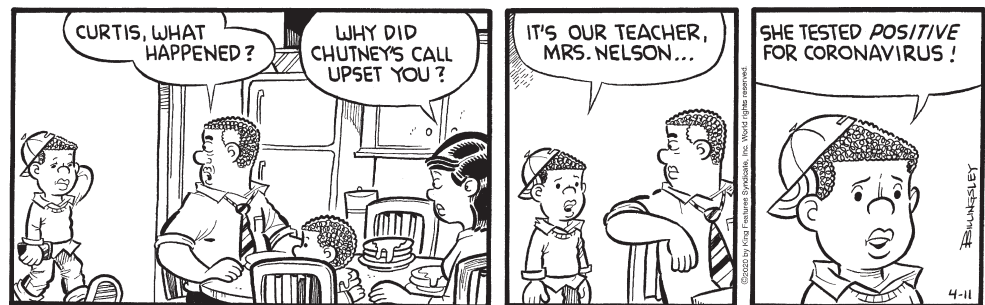
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I have fallen deeply in love with him. I told him I loved him, and he repeated, "I love you, too, but just as a friend." I don't think I can continue to spend time with him as a friend, because I'm in love with him. I'm not a teenager looking for fun. I would like to have a loving, adult relationship. I'm not talking about sex, necessarily (although that would be nice), but real romance. Should I just forget about him and let him go? — Pining for Peter

Dear Pining: I'll give you Peter Pan this much: He was mature enough to tell

you how he really feels. And kudos to you for starting that difficult conversation in the first place. That takes real courage. Now that the truth is out, you can begin to move on — but it will be impossible to do so in his company. Give your heart the time and space it needs to heal.

Dear Annie: I like to think of myself as someone with multiple hobbies, but some friends have been telling me it really isn't that. My friend hinted at this. We'll call him "Luke." "Luke" was at my house recently, and I was showing off my collections of what I think of as hobbies, which are on display in my man cave. I enjoy collecting various types of model cars, stamps and collectible toys. When I showed my collections to Luke, he told me I really just like accumulating things with no real direction. Another friend, "Dan," gave me a similar response when he saw my collection. Honestly, I do enjoy my hobbies, but my friends put it in another light. What I want to know, Annie, is: Are my friends right? Am I truly just accumulating random objects? Are they wrong? Should I ignore them? —

Curious Collector
Dear Curious: Your friends might be implying that you're hoarding. If you feel an overwhelming attachment to the things that you collect — as though something really bad would happen should you get rid of even one item — it could be a sign that your habit of collecting is becoming unhealthy. Another cause for concern would be if your collections have are overtaking your house and making it unlivable. The International OCD Foundation distinguishes between collecting and hoarding this way: "Collectors typically keep their possessions well-organized, and each item differs from other items to form interesting and often valuable groupings. ... (Hoarding disorder) is different from collecting in that collecting is organized and systematic, even though some collectors may have a similar amount of possessions as someone with HD. Collecting does not produce the clutter, distress, or impairment that HD does."

From your letter, it sounds as though you're indeed a collector, and this is a satisfying, enriching pastime for you. If these friends look at your treasures and only see trash, that's their loss. Keep doing your thing.

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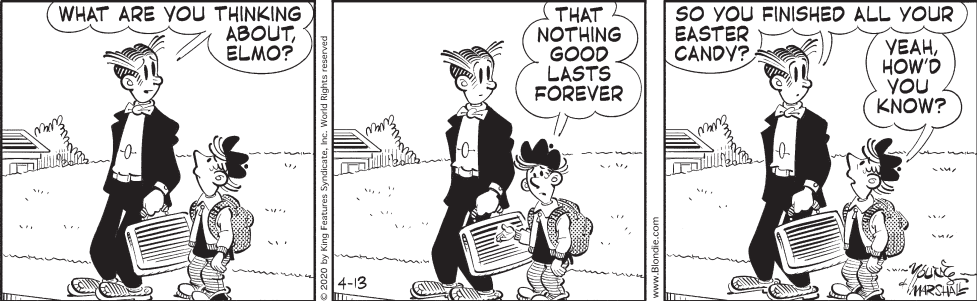
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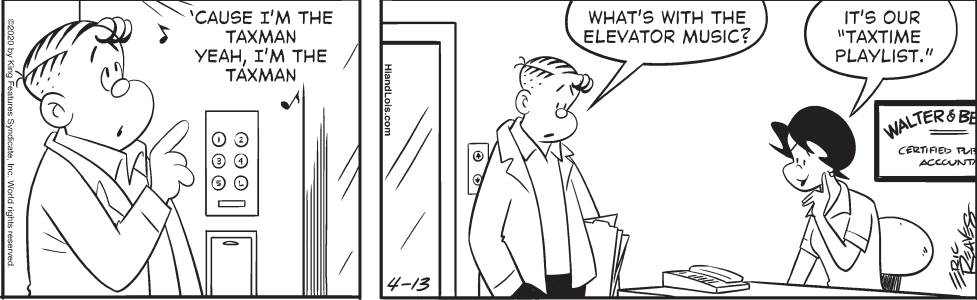
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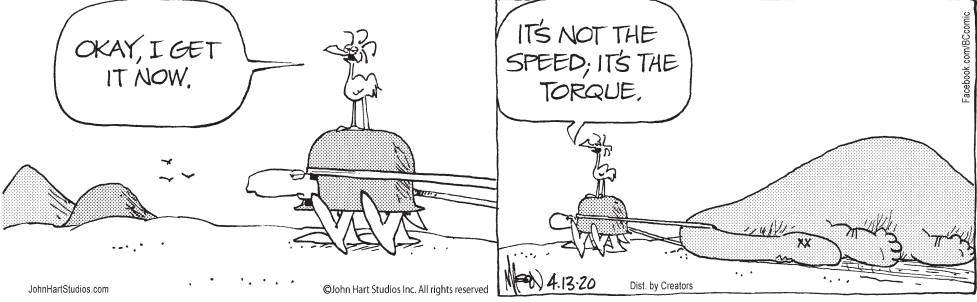
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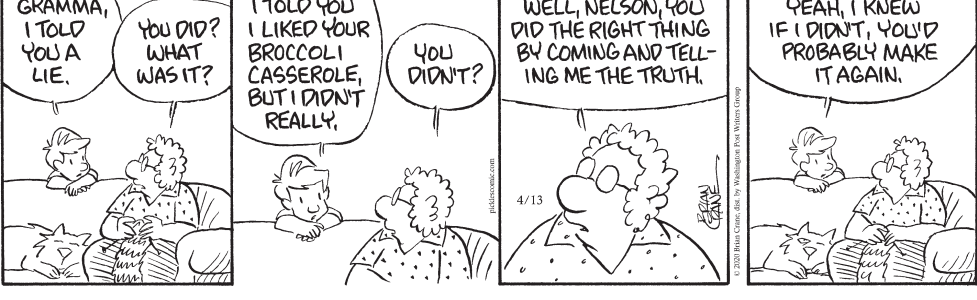
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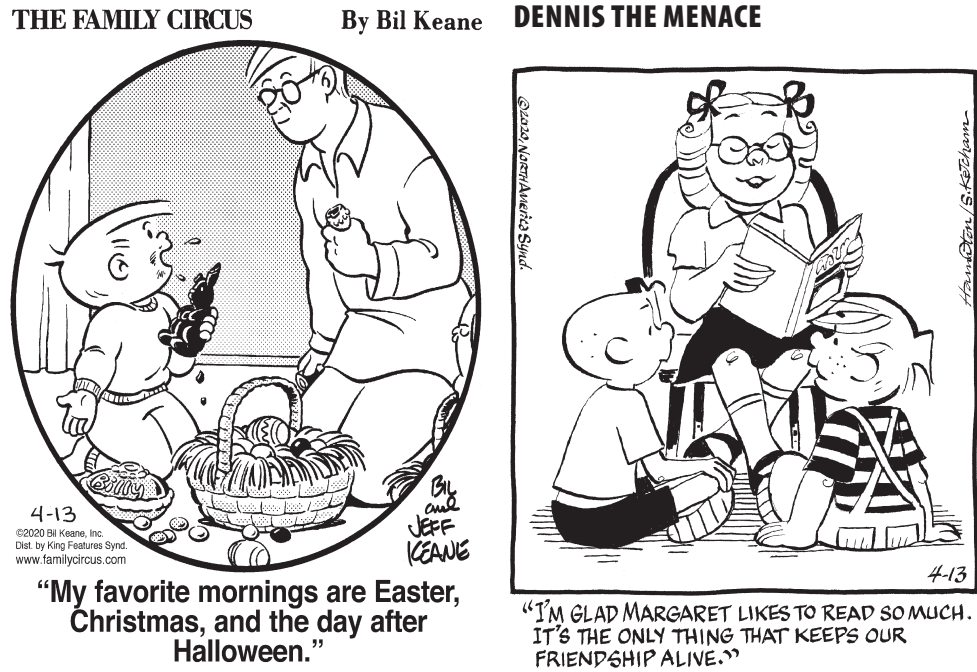
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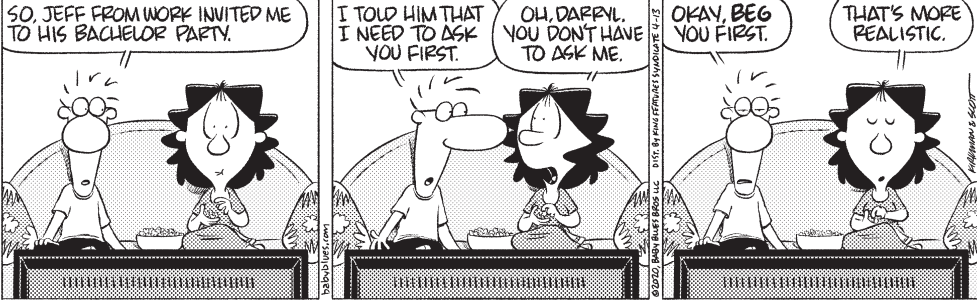
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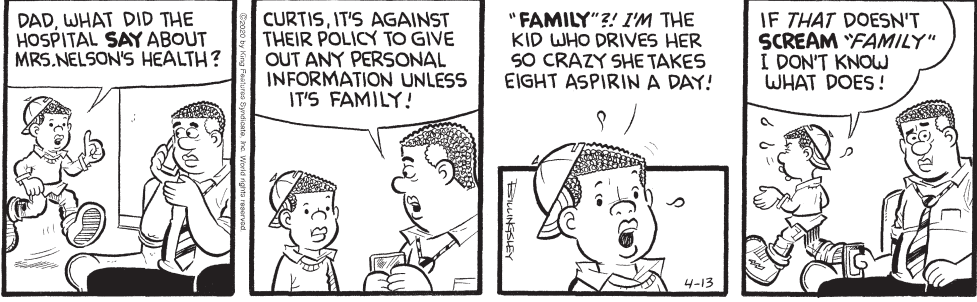
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Putting a price tag on brotherhood

Dear Annie: Eight years ago, my brother asked me to support his network marketing work by purchasing a service. Although we weren't interested, my wife and I signed up to support him (and he was pretty insistent). I tried the service several times but didn't feel that it was helpful. With the downturn in the economy, and a scary time for our family, we decided to cancel. It felt right to call him, but after I started to explain, he became irate and hung up. Although we reconciled the next day, I have lingering concerns. His follow-up text said, "We either hang together or we hang separately." To me, that seems passive-aggressive and self-serving. I want to help him — but we've already given \$2,000 over the course of the past eight years for a service we don't even

want or use. It seems like a loyalty test. What also troubles me is the "monetization" of our relationship. What to do? What to say? — Brother's Keeper

Dear Brother's Keeper: Support is a two-way street, and your brother isn't following the rules of the road. You seem like a very empathetic person: First, you subscribed to a service for eight years solely because it was important to your brother that you do. And now, you're distressed enough to write to me because you're concerned that he is angry with you. Since he doesn't seem to have imagined your perspective on all of this, paint him a vivid picture: Let him know how you've interpreted his words and actions, and the way that has made you feel. Describe what your family is going through right now. If he keeps up the passive-aggressive texts, don't take the bait. Delete the

messages, and set it aside and out of your mind. You've done nothing wrong.

Dear Annie: When my wife's cancer came back, my brother invented "Nancytoons." He would send two cartoons each day, which would relate in subject somehow (not to cancer, but to each other). It clearly required a lot of searching on his part and was a beautiful way of expressing his caring that brought a smile (sometimes a groan), without requiring a recital of her stage of illness. He kept this up for seven and a half years. Nancy died in 2018. Now, he keeps this up for friends in difficulty. — Gerard W.

Dear Gerard: I am so sorry for the loss of your wife. What a beautiful gesture from your brother. Love is in the little things. I appreciate your sharing this story, especially now, at a time when many of us are feeling disconnected and dispirited. May we all be inspired to reach out to a friend or family member today.



ANNIE LANE
DEAR ANNIE

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